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**From:** Wilson, Shari  
**Sent:** Thur 11/19/2015 6:04:52 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Stream Protection Rule Letter

Ok – in the system, this has been referred to OW.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, November 18, 2015 3:29 PM  
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Just to be a bit clearer – both OFA and OW are working with OSM.

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Not sure who is lead on this. Can you forward to appropriate people? Thanks.

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**Subject:** Stream Protection Rule Letter

Dear Administrator McCarthy, Assistant Administrator Giles, and Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator Beauvais:

Attached please find a letter addressing the "Stream Protection Rule" proposed by the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement on July 27, 2015. In the letter, local and national conservation groups ask EPA to please consider their concerns as EPA works with OSMRE and decides whether to concur in the final rule under 30 U.S.C. § 1251(a)(B).

As stated in the letter, we would welcome the opportunity to discuss these concerns in person with you and your staff.

Sincerely,

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